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SUBJECT: RESPONSE TO KING MOSHOESHOE'S JULY 4 MESSAGE

1. EMBASSY REQUESTED PASS FOLLOWING MESSAGE TO KING MOSHOESHOE II IN RESPONSE TO HIS JULY 4 MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT NIXON, TRANSMITTED BY LESOTHO EMBASSY, WASHINGTON.

2. QUOTE YOUR MAJESTY, ON BEHALF OF THE AMERICAN PEOPLE PLEASE ALLOW ME TO THANK YOU FOR YOUR KIND MESSAGE CONGRATULATING US ON OUR ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE. RICHARD NIXON. UNQUOTE.

3. FYI KING'S MESSAGE READ AS FOLLOWS: QUOTE ON THE OCCASION OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND NINETY-EIGHTH ANNIVERSARY OF INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES I SEND YOU BEST WISHES FOR YOUR EXCELLENCY'S PERSONAL HEALTH AND HAPPINESS AND FOR CONTINUED PROSPERITY OF THE PEOPLE OF AMERICA. UNQUOTE. DEPARTMENT AND WHITE HOUSE DO NOT PLAN RELEASE TEXT OF REPLY BUT HAVE NO OBJECTION TO RELEASE BY LESOTHO. END FYI. KISSINGER

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